

122 (Summer)

80 mi long wall in Britain

Hadrin planned the barrier in Britain.

It consisted of a stone wall (initially turf and timber in its western 3rd) ranging between 8 ft and 10 ft thick with a series of garrison forts for units of 500 or 1000 men. Turrets at regular intervals provided look-out posts and milecastles (1 Roman mi apart) housed

patients of men from the garrison forts  
It was an enormous effort which  
was completed in less than 10 yrs.

122-126

Hadrian visited Britain in 121  
Hadrian's wall was built (93  $\frac{1}{2}$  miles long)  
(Wallsend to Bowness)  
Extended by Emperor Severus  
a century later

122 AD

Wall of Hadrian in Britain